

URBANA SCHOOL DISTRICT #116

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING STUDY SESSION

JEAN F. BURKHOLDER ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE CENTER

205 North Race St. Urbana, IL 61801 Tuesday, January 3, 2012 7:30 p.m. www.usd116.org

The mission of Urbana School District 116, a multi-cultural community committed to educational excellence, is to ensure that all learners acquire knowledge, develop skills, and build character to achieve personal greatness and help create a better global society, by providing innovative, comprehensive programs, respecting individual learning styles and cultural differences, and fostering caring and nurturing relationships,

Mr. John H. Dimit, President

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Ms. Brenda Carter, Member

Ms. Elaine Gehrmann, Member

Ms. Peggy Patten, Member

Mr. Paul Poulosky, Member

Dr. Preston L. Williams, Jr., Superintendent Ms. Lori Johnson, Board Secretary

- 1.0 CALL TO ORDER
- 2.0 ROLL CALL
- 3.0 ADDITIONS, CORRECTIONS AND MODIFICATIONS OF AGENDA
- 4.0 CITIZENS STATEMENTS
- 5.0 CALL FOR EXECUTIVE MEETING/SESSION (After current meeting)

There will be an executive session after the current meeting for the purpose of:

The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the District or legal counsel for the District, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee or against legal counsel for the District to determine its validity. 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1).

- 6.0 APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 7.0 ADMINISTRATIVE BRIEFINGS AND REPORT
 - 7.01 First Reading 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 School Calendar

 Donald Owen, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction, will present a two year tentative calendar to the Board of Education.

 Approval will be requested during the January 17, 2012, business meeting.

8.0 COMMENDATIONS/RECOGNITIONS

The following staff have received their National Board Certificate: Martha Churukian, Fine Arts Teacher, Pamela Furrer, UMS Teacher, Andrea Kirkland, UMS Counselor.

9.0 PUBLIC HEARING

10.0 ACTION ITEMS

10.01 Sub-District Legal Descriptions and Term Selection

The Board of Education will establish the terms of office for each of the sub-districts and approve the legal descriptions on recently changed sub-district boundaries.

10.02 Personnel Items

Approval of various personnel items will be requested.

11.0 STUDY TOPICS

11.01 Discipline Update

Mr. Donald Owen/Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction, Dr. Laura Taylor/UHS Principal and Mr. Scott Woods/UMS Principal, will give the Board of Education an update regarding discipline trends.

12.0 CALL FOR FUTURE SPECIAL/EXECUTIVE MEETINGS

13.0 SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

14.0 BOARD'S REPORT

15.0 ADJOURNMENT

Announcements:

Jan 6		BOE/UEA Luncheon @ UMS
		11:15-12:15 Paul, Don
	•	12:15-1:15 Todd, Peggy
Jan 10	Tuesday	BOE Retreat (#2)
Jan 11	Wednesday	Executive Session (6:00 pm)
Jan 13	Friday	Institute Day – No School
Jan 16	Monday	Dr. Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday - No School
Jan 17	Tuesday	BOE Business Meeting
Jan 20		BOE/UEA Luncheon @ WEC
		12-1 Peggy, Paul
Jan 27		BOE/UEA Luncheon @ Gerber
		12:45-1:15 Paul T